

Page 37, line 15; change "table" to ---Table---.  
change "pick up" to ---pick-up---.  
line 17; change "experiment" to  
---Experiment---.  
Page 38, line 1; change "contrary" to  
---other hand---.  
change "the comparison" to  
---Comparison---.

IN THE CLAIMS

Please cancel Claim 14.

Please amend Claims 12, 13 and 15 as follows.

12. (Amended) Surface treatment chemicals,  
comprising[:] a reaction product of a water-soluble organic  
substance selected from the group consisting of at least one  
of protein, protein derivatives and polysaccharides, having an  
average molecular weight of 100 to 20,000[;], and a reactive  
modifier.

Claim 13, line 2; after "said" insert  
---reaction product of a---.

Claim 15, line 1; change "Claim 14" to ---Claim 12---.

Please add new Claim 19 as follows.

19. The surface treatment chemicals according to  
Claim 12, wherein said reactive modifier is at least one  
member selected from the group consisting of a hydrophilic  
compound having a polymerizable vinyl group, a monomer  
containing at least one group selected from the group  
consisting of a hydroxyl group, carboxyl group, amino group,  
sulfonic group and phosphate group, hydrophilic compound  
having an epoxy group and compound having an aziridine group.